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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this reissue application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The reissue specification has not been provided in the form of a copy of the printed patent. Each page should be in double-column format and on only one side of each sheet of paper, as is required by 37 CFR 1.173(a)(1).

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# RESPONSE TO MISSING PARTS

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Missing Parts mailed July 8, 2004, attached are:

- A copy of the Notice of Missing Parts;
- The reissue specification in the form of a copy of U.S. Patent No. 5,596,663, in double-column format and only on one side of each sheet of paper;
- Submission of Reissue Application Declaration including Reissue Declaration;
- Second Preliminary Amendment;
- A check for \$130.00; and
- Request for Refund.

Respectfully submitted,

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## SUBMISSION OF REISSUE APPLICATION DECLARATION

Sir:

Submitted herewith is a Reissue Application Declaration for the above-mentioned application.

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